



**BREAKDOWN OF THE INCIDENCE OF CONFIRMED RABIES IN
LABORATORY EXAMS
September 2001**

Animal **County**
Bat **St Charles**
Bat (3) **St Louis County**
Fox **Butler**

Total Rabies Cases to Date: 37
Total Rabies Cases to Date-Last Year: 43
Negative Animal Heads Examined This Month: 241*
Positive Animal Heads Examined This Month: 5
Percent Positive This Month: 2.03%
Total Animal Heads Examined to Date This Year: 2367*

Cumulative Exams and Positive Results - Year To Date						Total Rabies By Year
Species	#Exams	#Positive	Species	# Exams	#Positive	
Dog:	529	1	Rodent/Rabbit	128	0	2000: 50
Cat:	578	1	Other Domestic	4	0	1999: 31
Bat:	830	29	Other Wild	33	0	1998: 42
Skunk:	40	4	Exotic	1	0	1997: 31
Fox:	17	1	Unknown	1	0	1996: 26
Cow	28	0	Total	3167	37	1995: 30
Horse	6	1	Counties On Alert:			1994: 27
Ferret	11	0	Greene County			1993: 35
Raccoon	161	0				1992: 37
						1991: 28
						1990: 30

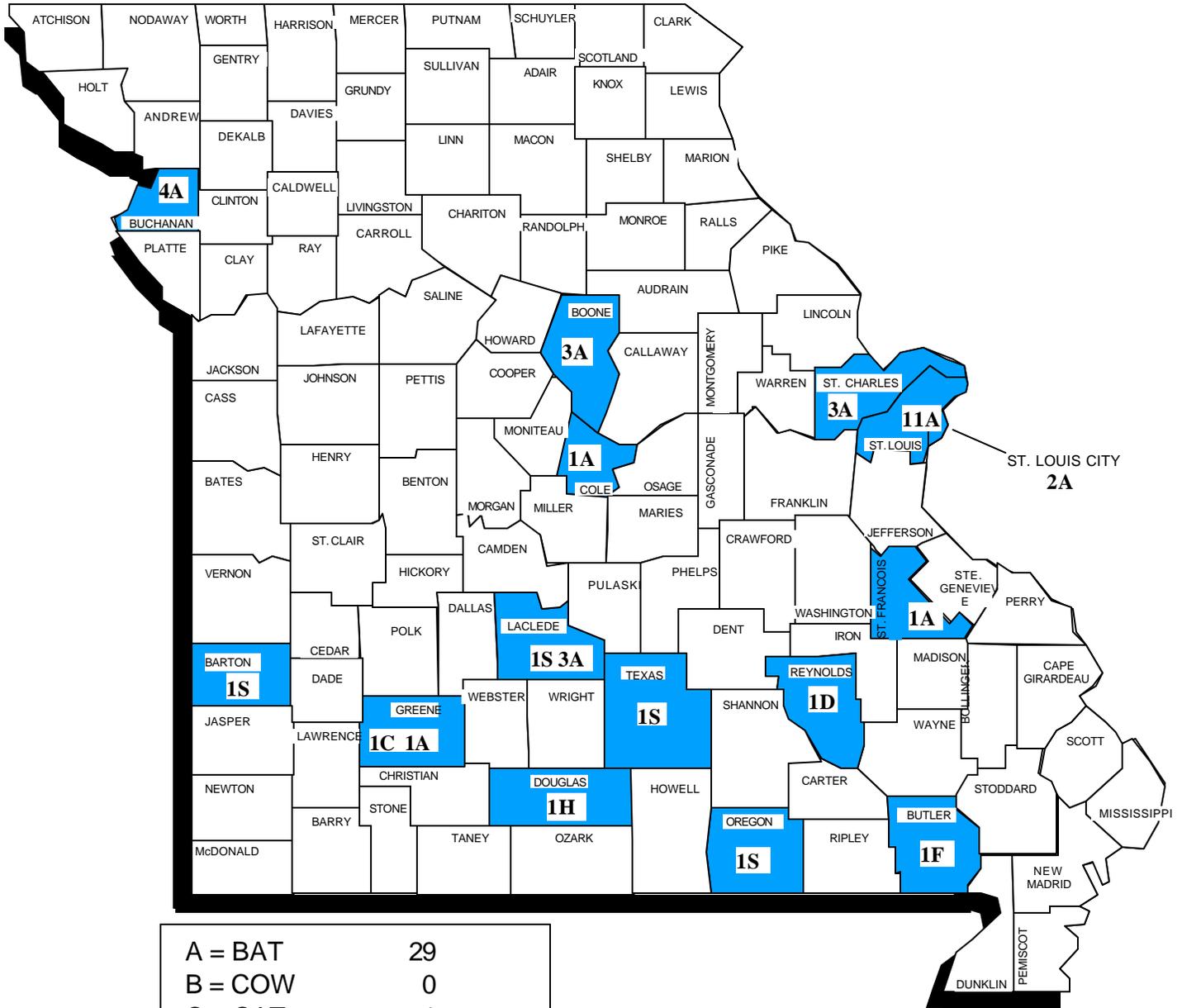
*Includes unsatisfactory specimens.

This report may also be found on the Missouri Department of Health Homepage at www.health.state.mo.us.

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Confirmed Animal Rabies in Missouri

2001



A = BAT	29
B = COW	0
C = CAT	1
D = DOG	1
F = FOX	1
H = HORSE	1
R = RACCOON	0
S = SKUNK	4
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TOTAL	37

September 29, 2001

Correction: During week 30, a positive bat was reported in Dallas County. It has been determined that the exposure occurred in Laclede County.